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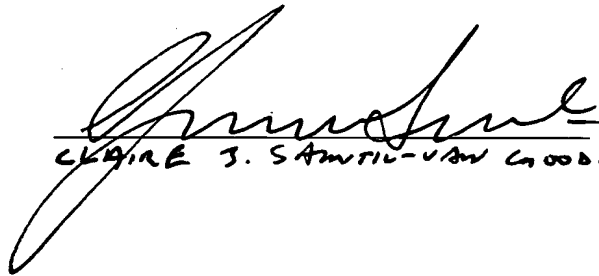
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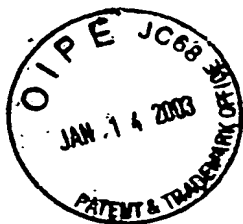
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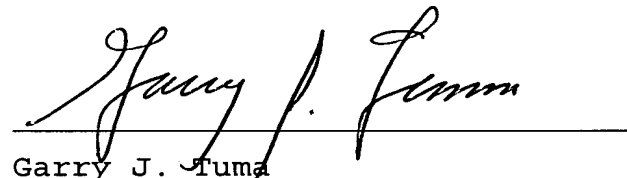
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| Silverman et al.    | 5,077,665* | December 31, 1991 |
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| Kohorn              | 5,713,795* | February 3, 1998  |
| Mindes et al.       | 5,842,921* | December 1, 1998  |
| Brenner et al.      | 6,004,211* | December 21, 1999 |
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| Torango             | 6,435,968* | August 20, 2002   |
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|                     | 4,322,612 °        | 03/30/82 | Lange               |       |          |                                  |
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